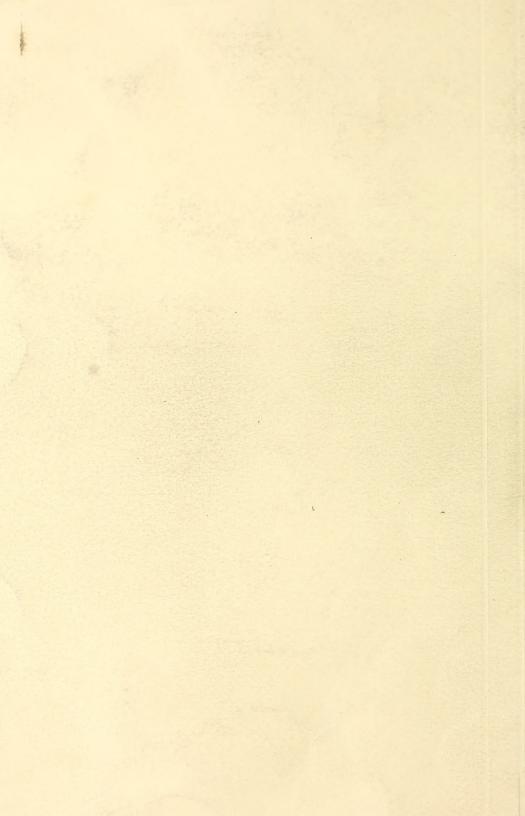
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- The Champlain Valley is especially congenial to DELPHINIUM AND LI-LACS. Our stock reflects this quality. We offer OWN-ROOT HYBRID LILACS (common kinds, too) on our Green List, pages 5 and 6.

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6 PACIFIC HYBRID JEWELTONED DELPHINIUM 3 GREEN MOUNTAIN HYBRID TRUMPET LILIES \$7.00 value combined for you at \$6.50

EARLY BLOOMING

Hardy Chrysanthemums

(Others in General listing, inside)

EARLY BRONZE. Especially hardy. August.

REDGOLD. Scarlet-gold. August. DEAN KAY. Deep pink. Early Sep-

GLACIER. Large white. September. PURPLE WATERS. Crimson purple. September.

Any of the above 50c each, 3 of one kind for \$1.25, \$5.00 per doz. Collection of two each of the above \$4.00.

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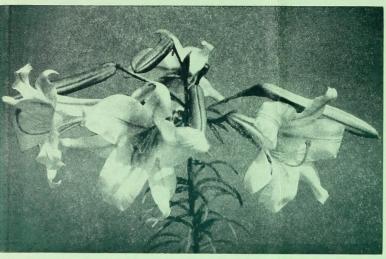
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HORSFORD'S Lilies for Sure Planting



Green Mountain Hybrids

Basic Lilies—and proven—for your Garden.

We make special efforts to ensure a clean, healthy stock from which we can fill our orders. Our list is mostly of varieties that can be produced from seed.

We can offer the following varieties in healthy stock and we give complete cultural directions with every order.

- AMABILE. A rare Korean of interesting shape. Grenadine-red, freely spotted black. July. 3 to 4 ft 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.
- AURATUM. Var. platyphyllum. The strikingly large and beautiful Gold Banded Lily you've asked for. Blooms July-Sept. 3 to 5 ft. \$1.00 ea.
- AURELIAN HYBRIDS. Var. Golden Sunburst. Starshaped flowers, true lemon and gold-yellow. Petals, very slightly recurved. Graceful sprays 5 to 8 ft. 6-7 in. bulbs. Aug. to Sept. \$1.25 ea.
- CANADENSE. Although we do not guarantee the color of this wild Lily, everything else about it is all right. May be a brick red, or a clear golden yellow. June, July. 2 to 5 ft. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25.
- DAVIDII. A very vigorous and dependable Lily of Turk's Cap type. Numerous red flowers. July-August. 4 to 6 ft. 60c each, \$6.00 per doz. 3 for \$1.65.
- GREEN MOUNTAIN HYBRIDS. Large trumpets of white with yellow or green coloring in the throats. Three to 5 ft. high with a three- to four-week flowering season in mid-summer. \$1.25 each, 3 for 3.50.
- MID CENTURY MIXTURE. Apricot to grenadine. Grow like weeds but beautiful. Flower and spread gorgeously. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25.
- PHILIPINENSE FORMOSANUM. A variety of refined and graceful appearance, with long, grassy foliage. It reaches 4 ft. with long trumpet flowers, pure white. August-September. Must be spring-planted. \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75.
- PRIDE OF CHARLOTTE. This stately offspring of L. sargentiae is more rugged than its parent. Long, white funnel-shaped flowers with yellow throat and sometimes marked externally a deep reddish brown. 3 to 4 ft. July. \$1.00 each.

- REGALE. A truly Regal beauty, and the best behaved queen of the lot. Parade her before a royal curtain of Delphinium to show her off to best advantage. White, slightly suffused with pink, shading to beautiful shade of canary yellow at the throat. July. Large bulbs 75c each, \$7.50 per doz.
- SPECIOSUM RUBRUM. Delicate pink with deep crimson dots. Oregon grown and disease free stock. July-August. \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75.
- SPECIOSUM WHITE CHAMPION. A variety from the favorite "rubrum lily" but crystal white. July-August. \$1.00 ea.
- SUPERBUM. America's handsomest native Lily, in our opinion, with its immense, pyramidal cluster of blooms right up high where you can admire them. Brilliant orange-red shading to yellow and spotted with brown. July. 4 to 6 ft. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25.
- TENUIFOLIUM. A small slender growing Lily, not more than eighteen inches tall, with bright scarlet flowers and recurved petals. One of the daintiest little lilies in cultivation. Early June. 12 to 18 in. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25.
- **TENUIFOLIUM.** Var. **Golden Gleam.** A fine type of **L. tenuifolium** with flowers of a beautiful apricot shade. A free and vigorous grower. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.
- TIGRINUM. Var. splendens. By far the best form of Tiger Lily we have had. It is taller, with handsome, large flowers and a much healthier plant. 60c each, 3 for \$1.65.
- L. UMBELLATUM WEST BURKE. A strain of Umbellatum discovered by the late Cyrus Pringle Horsford, of outstanding vigor. Its cup-shaped blooms of deep red are carried on stems up to two and a half feet tall in early June. Its wooly buds are a dark red. Likes both open sun and shade. Rare. 60c each.

EASY-TO-GROW FERNS

For Shady or Difficult Locations

FOR THE OPEN BORDER

Mostly tall Ferns with bold, broad foliage, and imposing appearance. They are adapted to sunshine but need the shelter of adjacent plants about the base of the fronds. Plant them in mixed groups among low shrubs.

- 6 Osmunda claytoniana. 2-3 ft.
- 6 Onoclea struthiopteris. 3-4 ft.
- 18 Dicksonia punctilobula. 1-2 ft.
- 6 Asplenium felix-foeming. 1-3 ft.

36 Ferns for \$10.00

FOR WET, OPEN GROUND

No trouble at all to find ordinary plants for wet, open ground but not many Ferns are adapted to the sunshine. Use rushes or flowering plants freely in such situations.

- 12 Onoclea sensibilis. 1 ft.
- 12 Osmunda regalis. 2-3 ft.

24 Ferns for \$5.50



Asplenium felix-toemina

FOR DRY, ROCKY LEDGE

Some of the choicest little Ferns are found in such places in nature. Mostly they are dwarf—frequently half evergreen—but always charming in outline, texture and aspect.

- 12 Asplenium trichomanes. 3-6 in.
- 12 Woodsig obtusa. 6-12 in.
- 12 Polypodium vulgare. 6 in.
- 12 Woodsia ilvensis. 6 in.

48 Ferns for \$12.50

FOR MOIST, SHADY PLACES

The wealth of plants which will flourish in moist, shady places is embarrassing. Ferns are no exception. Choose those of relatively low stature, among which to mingle blooming plants such as bog orchids.

- 6 Adiantum pedatum. 1-11/2 ft.
- 6 Aspidium cristatum. 1 ft.
- 6 Polystichum acrostichoides. 1 ft.
- 6 Aspidium spinulosum. 11/2-2 ft.
- 6 Aspidium marginale. 1½-2 ft.
- 6 Asplenium acrostichoides. 3 ft.
- 6 Asplenium felix-foemina. 1-3 ft.
- 6 Phegopteris hexagonoptera. 1 ft.
- 6 Asplenium anaustifolium, 2-3 ft.

54 Ferns for \$13.50

FOR DRY, SHADY PLACES

Under trees, in the shade of buildings where the soil is too dry for blooming plants, these Ferns may adapt themselves or if not all, some may. Dry shade is one of the gardener's hardest problems.

- 9 Aspidium marginale. 11/2-2 ft.
- 9 Dicksonia punctilobula. 1-2 ft.
- 9 Osmunda claytonia. 2-3 ft.
- 9 Polystichum acrostichoides. 1 ft.

36 Ferns for \$10.00

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Variety Common Name	Color	Ht. Feet	Flowering Season
HOLLYHOCKS, mixed. "Request-Biennial"—35cts per doz.	each, \$3.50		
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IBERIS sempervirens (r). Candytuft			June
INCARVILLEA delavayi. Hardy Gloxinia		11/2	June, July
sibirica, Emperor		2-3 3-4	June June
sibirica, Peggy Perry	Blue	2-3	June
siberica, Snow Queen sibirica, Thelma Perry		2-3	June June
*KAEMPFERI. Japanese Iris		2-3	July
*kaempferi, Agnes Reed		2-3	July
≠ +1	royal blue halo	2-3	July
*kaempferi, Mars *kaempferi, Pyramid		2-3	July July
*kaempferi, Ruffled Monster		2-3	July
*LAVANDULA vera, Munstead (r)	Blue	1/2-1	July
LEONTOPODIUM alpinum (r). Edelweiss	White	1/2	July, Aug.
LIATRIS pycnostachya. Gayfeather	Rose-purple	4-5	Aug.
scariosa		3-4	Sept.
spicata		1-11/2	Aug.
*spicata alba		1-11/2	Aug.
LUPINUS polyphyllus. Lupine		2-3	June June
polyphyllus roseus		2-3	June
*Russell Lupines	Mixed	2-3	June
*LYTHRUM. Morden's Pink	Pink	3-4	June-Sept.
LYCHNIS chalcedonica. Maltese Cross	Scarlet	3	June
MERTENSIA virginica. Virginia Bluebells	Blue	1-2	May
MONARDA didyma. Oswego Bee Balm		3	July
*Croftway Pink		3	July
OENOTHERA missouriensis. Ozark Sundrops		1/2-1	July, Aug.
PACHYSANDRA terminalis. Japanese Spurge* *PAPAVER orientale. Oriental Poppy	vynire	1/2	May, June
*orientale, Australia	Oxblood	2	May, June
orientale, Enchantress	Soft Rose	2	May, June
orientale, Helen Elizabeth orientale, Surprise		2 2	May, June May, June
*orientale, Mahoney		2	May, June
orientale, Orange Beauty		2	May, June
*orientale, Salomeorientale, Sass Pink		2 2	May, June May, June
*orientale, Sun God		2	May, June
orientale, Perry's White		2	May, June
PHLOX paniculata. Hybrid Phloxes. Africa	Cormon blooded	2 2	Aug
*Albert Leo Schlaegeter		2-3	Aug.
*Apple Blossom	Cameo pink	2-3	Aug.
*Blue Boy		2-3 2-3	Aug.
*Daily Sketch Europa		2-3	Aug.
Frau Anton Buchner	Pure white	2-3	Aug.
Harvest Fire		2-3 2-3	Aug.
*Mary Louise Painted Lady		2-3	Aug.
Prime Minister	White, red eye	2-3	Aug.
*Purple Heart		2-3	Aug.
Rosea Superba Salmon Glow		2-3	Aug.
World Peace	Latest white	3	Aug.
*suffruticosa, Miss Lingard		2–3	July
PHYSOSTEGIA (False Dragonhead) virginiana grai Vivid	ndiffora, Bright mauve-pink	1/2-2	Sept., Oct.
* These varieties 75 cts. each, 3 for \$2.00,	9		

			Flowering
Variety Common Name	Color	Ht. Feet	Season
PLATYCODON grandiflorum. Balloon Flower		1/2-2	Aug., Sept.
grandiflorum album		1/2-2	Aug., Sept.
*grandiflorum, double		11/2-2	Aug., Sept.
grandiflorum. Shell Pink		1/2-2	Aug., Sept.
*OLEMONIUM reptans (r). Creeping Greek Valerian	Pink	11/2-2	Aug., Sept.
PRIMULA	Proba collect	1/	
elatior. Ox-lip Primrose japonica. Japanese Primrose		1/2	May May
*Giant Bouquet, 2 in. flowers		e 1	May
veris (r). Common Primrose		1/2	May
PYRETHRUM hybridum. Painted Daisy		2	June
*James Kelway		2	June
*roseum	Deep pink	2	June
SALVIA azura grandiflora. Great Azure Sage	Azure-blue	2-3	Aug.
SCABIOSA caucasica. Caucasian Scabiosa		11/2	June-Aug.
caucasica alba. White Caucasian Scabiosa	White	11/2	June-Aug.
STATICE latifolia. Sea Lavender	Light blue	2	Aug., Sept.
STOKESIA cyanea. Stokes Aster	Azure-blue	1-11/2	Aug.
THERMOPSIS caroliniana	Bright yellow	3-4	July
TRILLIUM grandiflorum. Wake-Robin	White	1	May
TROLLIUS ledebouri. Globe Flower	Bright yellow	2-3	June
UVULARIA grandiflora. Merrybells	Pale yellow	1-11/2	May
VALERINA officinalis. Hardy Heliotrope	White	3-4	June
*VERONICA subsessilis. Clump Speedwell	Deep blue	2	July
spicata. Spike Speedwell	Bright Blue	11/2	July
VINCA, Myrtle clumps. 40c each, \$3.50 doz.	Soft blue	1/2	May-Oct.
VIOLA canadensis. Canadian Violet	White	1	June
*cornuta, Jersey Gem		1/2	May-Oct.
*cornuta, Royal Purple		1/2	May-Oct.
palmata cucullata. Hooded Violet		1/2	June
pubescens. Downy Yellow Violet	Yellow	1/2	June

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Hardy Chrysanthemums



Lupine

These plants are hardy in northern Vermont under congenial cultural conditions, but need protection against winter heaving from alternate freezes and thaws. WE ARE RESPONSIBLE for filling your order with stock true to name and in GOOD CONDITION. If not received in good condition, complaint must be made at once.

Of course, we cannot assume responsibility for CULTURAL FAILURES beyond our control nor for failures due to drought and winter losses.

GENERAL LIST OF HARDY PERENNIALS

50 cts. each, 3 of the same kind for \$1.25, \$5.00 per doz., except as otherwise noted.

			Flowering
Variety Common Na	me Color	Ht. Feet	Season
ACHILLEA (Yarrow) Ptarmica, Perry's White		2	June-Sept.
ACONITUM (Monkshood) fischeri *Spark's variety		2-3 3-4	Sept., Oct. July-Aug.
ACTAEA (Baneberry) alba		2 2	May-Sept. May-Sept.
ANCHUSA (Bugloss) italica, Dropmore *myosotidiflora		3-4	June May
ANEMONE pulsatilla. Pasque Flower	Violet-purple	11/2	April
AQUILEGIA (Columbine) caerulea	Yellow	$ \begin{array}{r} 1\frac{1}{2} \\ 3-2\frac{1}{2} \\ 2-2\frac{1}{2} \end{array} $	May-June June-July June-July
ARABIS alpina nana (r)	White	1/2	May
ARISAEMA triphyllum. Jack-in-the-Pulpit	White	3	May
ARTEMISIA (Mugwort) vulgaris lactiflora, fra *Silver King		3-4 2-3	Aug., Sept. June-Sept.
*ARUNCUS sylvester. Goat's Beard	White	4-5	July, Aug.
ASCLEPIAS tuberosa. Butterfly-Weed	Orange-yellow	11/2	Aug.
ASTER novae-angliae. New England Aster	·Violet-purple	4-5	Sept., Oct.
ASTILBE. Spirea. *Fanal Gladstone *Gloria	White	1½-2 2	July July July
BOCCONIA cordata. Plume Poppy	Buff	5-6	Aug.
CALTHA palustris. Cowslip	Yellow	1	May
CAMPANULA. Bellflower carpatica (r) persicifolia persicifolia alba	Blue	1/2 2 2	June-Aug. June June
CENTAUREA montana. Perennial Bachelors	ButtonsBlue	1-11/2	July
CHELONE Iyoni. Pink Turtlehead	Purple red	3-4	Aug., Sept.
*Marconi. Double Shasta Daisy		2-3 2-3	July, Aug. July, Aug.
Major Cushion	Double yellow Red Geranium-pink Tangerine scarlet Apricot-buff Raspberry-purple Pure white Vivid red, large Reddish-bronze Reddish bronze mounds Large salmon-pink Radiant rose pink White to lavender Yellow mounds	11/2 11/2 11/2	Sept. Oct. Sept. Sept. Sept. Sept. Sept. Sept. Sept.
	White	5-6	July, Aug.
CONVALLARIA majalis. Lily-of-the-Valley *rosea		$1-1\frac{1}{2}$ $1-1\frac{1}{2}$	May, June May
COREOPSIS lanceolata	Yellow	2	June-Sept.

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DELPHINIUM belladonna	Turquoise-blue	5-6	June
bellamosum		5-6	June
grandiflorum chinense		11/2	June
grandiflorum chinense album	White	11/2	June
grandiflorum chinense, Azure Fairy	Cambridge-blue	11/2	June
*Pacific Hybrids *Summer Cloud		5-6 5-6	June June
DIANTHUS. Garden Pink	THE STATE OF THE S	3-0	30116
deltoides (r)	Rose-pink	1/2	June
plumarius. Pheasant's Eye Pink		1	June
DICENTRA eximia (r). Fringed Bleeding-Heart *spectablis, Bleeding-Heart	Reddish purple	1 2	May-Aug. May, June
		2	
*DICTAMNUS rubra. Gas Plant *alba		2	June June
DIGITALIS ambigua. Yellow Foxglove	Yellow	2-3	June
DORONICUM plantagineum (excelsum) Leopard's-Bane	Yellow	2	May
ECHINACEA purpurea. Purple Coneflower	Purple	4	July, Aug.
*ECHINOPS ritro. Globe-Thistle		4-6	Aug., Sept.
ERYNGIUM amethystinum. Sea-Holly		3-4	July, Aug.
EUPHORBIA myrsinites (r). Dwarf Spurge		1/2	May
FUNKIA lancifolia. Plantain Lily		1	Aug.
lancifolia variegata. Lanceleaf Plantain Lily	Purple lilac	1	Aug.
subcordata alba. \$1.00 each		1-11/2	AugSept.
Thomas Hogg. \$1.00		1 11/	
	leaves	1-11/2	Aug., Sept.
GAILLARDIA grandiflora maxima		3	June-Sept.
Aura Pura		3	June-Sept. June-Sept.
Portola Hybrid			June John.
	tipped	3	June-Sept.
GYPSOPHILA paniculata. Baby's-Breath	White	2	July
*Bristol Fairy		2	July, Aug.
repens (r) *repens Rosenschleier		1/2-1	June June-July
Riverton Beauty		4	Aug., Sept. Aug., Sept.
HEMEROCALLIS flava. Day Lily, Amaryllis		2	June
Autumn Pioneer		3	Aug.
Autumn Red		3	Sept. June-July
Chengtu		3	July-Aug.
Cinnebar	Bronzy red	2	July-Aug.
Dauntless		21/2	July
Hyperion. \$1.00		31/2	July-Aug.
Mikado		3-4	July-Aug. Aug.
Rajah		2-3	June-July
*Rosalie	14 11		
T-1: #1.00	pink	3-4	July
Talisman. \$1.00	Irue talisman pink	3	July
BETSCHER HYBRIDS			
D. D. Wyman Goldeni		3	July-Aug.
J. A. Crawford		4	July June, July
Lemona		4-5	June June
*Mrs. W. H. Wyman		3	Aug.
HEPATICA acutiloba (r). Liverleaf	Light pink	1/2	April
triloba (r)		1/2	April
*HEUCHERA sanguinea. Coral Bells	Coral-red	11/2	June-Aug.
HIBISCUS moscheutos. Rose-Mallow	Pink	4-5	Aug., Sept.

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Japanese Anemones

These are old-fashioned favorites. They like lime soil and repay extra fertilizer and water in dry spells with glorious display of delicate September bloom.

ALBA. Single white.
GEANTE BLANCHE. Double white.
HUPEHENSIS. Rose pink.
SEPTEMBER CHARM. Silvery pink.
Any of the above 50c each, 3 for \$1.25,
\$5.00 per doz. Collection, 3 each \$4.50.

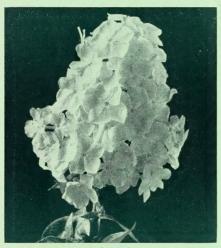
Hybrid Asters

DWARF. 50c, 3 for \$1.25.

LADY HENRY MADDOCK. Clear pink.

LAVENDA. Lovely lavender.

OTHERS. 50c, 3 for \$1.25. CLIMAX. Splendid blue. VIOLETTE. Fine blue violet.



Hardy Phlox

STAY-OPEN Hemerocallis

(Others in General listing, inside)
CRYSTAL. Shell pink on parchment Each \$1.00
ENCHANTRESS. Large light yellow Each 1.00
MATADOR. Mahogany Each 1.00
PINK CHARM. Ochre red Each 1.00
ROSEA. Reddish-pink Each 1.00
Collection, one each (value \$5.00) for \$4.00.



Japanese Anemone

Phlox Collection

Phlox are the most dependable and showy of the mid-summer perennials. Our complete list (inside) contains a well varied assortment.

AFRICA. Carmine, bloodred eye.
PAINTED LADY. Silvery Pink with
cherry red eye.

PRIME MINISTER. White, red eye.
WORLD PEACE. Largest, latest white.
HARVEST FIRE. Intense sunset red.

Any of the above 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, \$5.00 per doz. Collection of 3 each (value \$6.25) for \$5.50.



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